

--6. The recording material for back printing according to claim 2, wherein the ink absorbing layer is crosslinked at least in the region on the ink transmitting layer side.--

--7. The recording material for back printing according to claim 3, wherein the ink absorbing layer is crosslinked at least in the region on the ink transmitting layer side.--

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-7 are pending. Claims 3 and 4 are amended to eliminate multiple dependencies and claims 5-7 are added to compensate for subject matter deleted from multiple dependent claims 3 and 4.

The attached Appendix includes marked-up copies of each rewritten claim (37 C.F.R. §1.121(c)(1)(ii)).

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Attached: APPENDIX

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## **APPENDIX**

Changes to Claims:

Claims 5-7 are added.

The following are marked-up versions of the amended claims:

- 3. (Amended) The recording material for back printing according to claim 1-or 2, wherein the ink absorbing layer comprises a hydrophilic resin.
- 4. (Amended) The recording material for back printing according to claim 1 any of claims 1 through 3, wherein the ink absorbing layer is crosslinked at least in the region on the ink transmitting layer side.